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HE, SHE, CUPID

By Jenny Kimpon Smith.

HE.

He was single and singular. Most women would have called him fine looking if it had not been for his nose. He told Cupid privately that his nose had always stood in his way, and no wonder.

It was so long drawn out, so startlingly high tak to bridge, hit apparently perfect as to draught.

Patiently had this nose stood guard below two kind but bashful blue eyes, and sniffed the breezes of fifty summers and winters of single blessedness.

Cupid was his cat, and he also owned a comfortable looking little fat brown earthen teapot.

Cupid sat from his master's hand the leavings of his bachelor board, while he sought comfort by drinking all but the leaves in the little earthen teapot.

He ended each meal by tipping it up and draining the last drop from its spout.

Cupid always watched this impolite performance with a meditative, wonderful look, and

After he had Cupid used to sit by the window and watch for *her* across the way.

SHE.

She was not "fat, fair and forty," for the single woman who is forty is yet to be born.

Besides being feminine, dark as to age and complexion, she was plump and spry, neat as a new pin, and cheery.

As she served or mended in the evenings, her shadow was thrown on the window shade.

That was what he and Cupid watched for across the narrow way.

HIS MUSINGS.

There, sha's lighting her lamp, Cupid—going to mend her stockings to-night. I can see her slip her hand into it and hold it up to the light. A neat little foot she must have, too, Cupid.

See there! will you? Done, by Jove! with neatness and dispatch.

Now what? She see—going out, and alone too, confound shame, Cupid! Eh? Want to go—of course she does—they all do, Cupid. There she comes to fasten her gloves by the light. A neat fit on that jacket—lucky for us old fellows that she comes between the lamp and the window shade.

Now what is she doing? Putting—no "fixing" her bangs as only a woman can, Cupid—little, just a little old for bangs. Eh, Cupid? But they'll all do it, even if it does give 'em a "mutton-dressed-as-lamb" look. God bless 'em! Now she's turning down the light.

The shadow grows dimmer—going, going, gone, Cupid. Well, we will smoke our pipe and think. What do you say, partner?

For answer, Cupid jumped upon his shoulder.

Then he lit his pipe and was so busy thinking and smoking that he forgot to pull down the window shade.

When his pipe was smoked out, he sat on thinking and mechanically stroking Cupid.

At last he arose and glanced out of the window in the direction of his cheery little neighbor.

To his surprise he saw her hastily leave her window and lower the shade.

He sighed softly and said: "Do you think, Cupid, that she has been looking at us, that is, at you, Cupid?" and he smiled again.

HER MUSINGS.

He looks as if he might be nice. But such a nose!

"Such a nose!" croaked her parrot from her ring in the corner. She laughed and held out a finger and the parrot was soon perched on it.

Had he across the way only known it, this parrot was the gift of a rejected lover. She had at once dubbed the parrot Company. Then she kept her in the dark and drilled her on one significant sentence.

When the ex-lover called to see how she took his gift the parrot called out [illegible] two's company, [illegible] while she looked indignant. So the parrot got [illegible] and the ex-lover [illegible] to return to his [illegible]

ingness.

Hm! His nose and his neckties explain his being single. The necktie could be remedied (here she smiled mischievously and blushed), the nose, well, that couldn't. Well, he looks as if he was lonesome trying to keep house alone. I suppose every room needs a good thorough sweeping and dusting. Men don't know how to keep house, do they, Company?

"Never! Never out!" croaked the parrot, somewhat irrelevantly, from her schoolboy lore.

She laughed. "Yes, but it's 'Never in!' not 'Never out' with some men. Well, I feel sorry for him some way. I hope he didn't see me peeping at him."

HE.

But he had, a bit had plucked up courage at the sight. His opportunity came. He seized it and her umbrella at the same time. It was a snowy, blowy day in winter. She was coming home with her arms full of packages. The wind caught her umbrella as she reached her doorstep and turned it wrong side out. He was watching her from his window.

He heard a faint "O, dear!" gave a jerk to his necktie, forgot to be conscious of his nose for once, and with Cupid at his heels, and another Cupid tickling his heart-strings, rushed bareheaded across the narrow way.

He seized her umbrella and turned it sequicely and skillfully in the opposite direction that it was right side out before she could say Jack Robinson, if that had been his name.

Instead she blushed and thanked him prettily, while his steel bare-headed but triumphant in the falling snow and gazed admiringly, not at the umbrella exactly. She (accidentally, of course) dropped one of her packages.

Said he: "Let me help you into the house. You have too much to carry alone."

So she opened the door and he, she, Cupid, the umbrella and packages disappeared inside.

HE, SHE, CUPID AND COMPANY.

New Year's day, 1894, dawned brightly in the street where he and she lived. In the window of her house there was a For Rent sign.

But dainty muslin curtains were up at his windows and the sun looked in at a happy group.

He sat before the cheerful grate fire in the little parlor that had been touched and transformed by a woman's deft fingers.

She sat in his lap, and adjusted to her fancy a new necktie she had evidently produced from his store.

Cupid, resplendent in a red leather collar, dozed on the cushioned window-seat in the sunshine and purred contentedly at the new order of things.

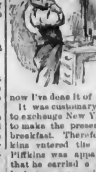
He and she were laughing at Company swinging in her ring at the other window.

For he had just said to her: "What a happy New Year this will be for you and me—for Cupid and for Company."

But at the sound of her name Company had promptly croaked: "I doubt it! I doubt it! Two's company! Two's company."

Then he and she laughed and their laugh had a Many-Happy-New-Year's ring to it that augured well in these parlous times for the firm of He, She, Cupid & Co., in spite of Company's croaking.

A MUTUAL SURPRISE.



How pleased Ma- chuckled Mr. Piffkins, making his toilet on the morning of the 1st of January, "and how surprised Phillis is the Best New Year's day in the history of the world. She hasn't quarreled with me about giving up tobacco, and now I've done it of my own accord."

It was customary with the Piffkins to exchange New Year's gifts and not to make the presentation until after breakfast. Therefore, when Mr. Piffkins entered the dining-room Mrs. Piffkins was apparently unconscious that he carried a bulky parcel, while he in turn was quite unaware that a small, queer-shaped package lay beside his wife's plate.

"Yes, Jane," remarked Mr. Piffkins, as he sat down his coffee cup and [illegible] napkin "during our [illegible] there has been only one serious pause for contention—well, perhaps two—but no matter. I intend to remove that cause."

"I have also determined to turn over a new leaf, as you will presently see," and she nodded mysteriously toward the queer-shaped package.

"I have resolved during the coming year to discontinue the use of tobacco." And he awaited the burst of delighted surprise to follow.

Mrs. Piffkins turned pale, dumbfounded with joy, replying tremulously: "I cannot accept this sacrifice; but I have resolved to yield to your entreaties, abandon society and devote myself in future to my home."

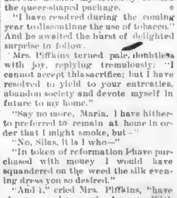
"Say no more, Maria. I have hitherto preferred to remain at home in order that I might smoke, but—"

"No, Silas, it is I who—"

"In token of reformation I have purchased with money I would have squandered on the weed the silk evening dress you so desired."

"And I," cried Mrs. Piffkins, "have also prepared a surprise for you. With the money I had saved to give a reception I have bought you a meerschaum pipe!"

A GOOD RESOLUTION BROKEN.



No, he is not saying his prayers. He is only swearing. He swore off on New Year's Eve from profanity, but next morning he took his collar button and then he swore a blue streak.—Texas Siftings.

A New Year's Warning.

Sing a song of sixpence,
A bottle full of rye,
Four and twenty blackbirds
Baked in a pie.
When the pie was opened,
The birds began to swear,
And the man who gave the order
Took the pledge, and bought a fitter.
—Puck.

One Way to Promote Happiness.

"I wish you a very happy New Year," said Dr. Pellet to Lawyer.

"Then don't send in your last quarter's bill for the first February, doctor."—Judge.

SPEED THE PARTING GUEST.

BY OLIVE OHNET.

FAREWELL, farewell, the best of friends must part,
And as a token of how dear thou art,
How fond and dear Old Year,
Here take a glint of gold from out my hair.
A shade of rose from cheek and lip, not three
Sprinkles a touch of snow before you go,
Old Year, before you go.

Good-by, God-speed, all earthly things must end,
One look into your radiant eyes, my friend,
So fond and dear, Old Year, Old Year.
There's auld regret within my heart in piece of pain,
All that was sweet in thee shall once again
In memory live and make me glad,
Old Year, thee why be sad!

Now that we're parting, I'm impelled to say,
What I've in secret thought for many a day—
Yet still I love you, dear Old Year
There's always worn a somewhat somber face,
You've never had the winsome sprightly grace

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"OH, FERDIE, HOW EXTRAVAGANT!"

HIS NEW YEAR'S MAIL.

BY ELISA ARMSTRONG.

"Ah, now, this is pleasant!" cried young Mr. Dovecot, as he threw aside his newspaper on the morning of the 1st of January. "What more can a man want than a beefsteak such as we had for breakfast, a clear fire like this, and a little wife of his own? By the way, my dear, you are looking very charming this morning. I do not remember ever having seen that dress before."

"It—it's a surprise," faltered Mrs. Dovecot, turning very pink. "I am so glad you like it—you know I try to please you in all things."

"I couldn't help admiring it, my dear. I pity those poor fellows who are bachelors—I was telling Jollycliffe so only yesterday."

"Yes, indeed, and I was saying to Marie that she would never know what real happiness is until she is married."

"We must ask them both to dinner some evening and try to make a match between them. Ah, there comes the postman, tramping through the snow."

"I'll go and meet him. I hate to keep him waiting."

"No, I'll go; you might catch cold from the draught."

A moment later he returned, saying: "See what a pile of letters; invitations and New Year's greetings, no doubt. Hello!"

"What is the matter?" queried Mrs. Dovecot, who was anxiously looking over the letters.

"A bill for *another* ton of coal—why, I paid for one only the other day."

"But don't you remember? I forgot to give you the other one when it came, and—"

"I remember, you forgot it until after your seatskin was bought. What's this? O, never mind," and he stuffed a bill into his pocket; it fell out and she pounced upon it.

"O, Ferdie, another suit; how extravagant!"

"My dear, a man must look decent, if he's married. By the way, when your clothes pounding is quite finished I wish you would mend the hole in my pocket."

"Why, Ferdie you said the other day that I mustn't prick my little fingers with sewing; and she burst into tears. In drawing out her handkerchief she dropped a bill which he picked up.

"Hars Dovecot; another dressmaker's bill!"

"Only for the dress I have on, dear. I wanted to surprise you."

"Well, my love, you have succeeded, and here's a bill for a bath robe. I never bought a bath robe."

"O, Ferdie, that was your birthday present, and—"

"In future we will do without birthday presents, my dear; I can't afford them. What's this? O, only the statement from my club."

"And you promised me you'd give up the club and stay at home when we were married!"

"And here's a bill for ice cream and lunches; what extravagance!"

"O, dear, if I'd known how unkind you are I never would have married you!"

"And if I'd known your temper I never would have asked you!"

"I shall tell Marie never to marry as long as she lives!"

"And I shall tell Jollycliffe that he is the luckiest dog I know!"

And that was why they didn't speak for the rest of the day.

New Year's Day in the Dime Museum.

"A happy New Year to you," said the Living Skeleton to the Fat Woman; "and may your shadow never grow less."

"I wish you a happy New Year, too," was the reply; "and what you fall off in flesh may you make up in salary."

Appropriate.

Wool—Having New Year's come right after Christmas is a mighty good scheme.

Miss Van Pelt—Why?

Wool—Oh, it's so much easier to be good when you're broke.—Jury.

How Not to Break Resolutions.

Ah, glorious resolution—
Would you know how not to break it?
Oh, friends and fellow citizens,
The way is not to make it.
—Detroit Free Press.

On Time, Anyhow.

Fosdick—Well, the New Year arrived on time.

Ricketts—Yes; right on the second.

Fosdick—You are wrong. It came on the first.—Judge.

Resolution Day.

Vows are monsters of such hideous mien,
That to be hated need but to be seen.
But soon too oft, we come by them scoured,
And welcome the arrival of January 1st.
—John H. Gest, in Puck.

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SWEETWATER, TENN., June 23, 1893.
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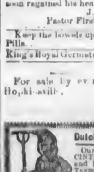
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Col. Breckenridge doubts that there is any probability of a compromise in the Pollard-Breckenridge case.

A new paper called the *Fulton County Gazette* has been started at Fulton, Ky., by Raymond Taschall. It will be published from the office of the *Enquirer Gleaner*.

Green McAdoo, colored, murderer of a white girl in Holmes county, Miss., was tortured into a confession and then hanged and burned Dec. 22, by a mob of his own race. No 10.

Calvin Thomas, col., who assaulted the wife of a Baptist preacher named Sellars, near Bainbridge, Ga., was captured, identified and shot to death by a mob Sunday afternoon, Dec. 24. No 111.

Restoration of the Queen of Hawaii is now regarded as impossible. The outcome of all the rumpus kicked up is likely to be an independent Republic, which the United States will promptly recognize.

A crazy man named Philip Jacob Schwartz called on Mayor Tyler of Louisville, Tuesday, and flourished a pistol and expressed a desire to have his "rights." He was disarmed and locked up without showing fight.

Col. E. Polk Johnson has retired from the newspaper profession and will hereafter serve the government for a consideration. His retirement leaves an aching void in the K. P. A. that can never be filled until he returns.

The mother of twins, according to a superstition of the Mojave Indians, was worshiped and the penalty is death to whoever shall injure a young child. Several squaws guilty of the offense, was recently buried. The children were killed with a club.

Sampson Gotholtz, a Pennsylvania farmer who tried to play Santa Claus, got stuck in the chimney and the neighbors had to be called in to haul him out with a rope. Hereafter when Gotholtz wants to get into holes, he will get holes that do not fit so tight that the holes get him.

A colored preacher in Alabama undertook to imitate Sam Jones by calling his hearers "black devils," "imps of hell," etc., but he was dragged from the pulpit and given a severe beating and is now on trial by the brethren for "using cuss words." As Sam himself frequently remarks, there can be but one Sam Jones.

The contested election case in Crittenden county for the office of Superintendent of schools was decided last week. Miss Mina Wheeler, who had two majority over G. W. Perry, was decided elected by one vote. Perry will not take the case further. Miss Wheeler will therefore be one of the eight lady superintendents after next September.

Godey's Magazine for January, has a rich and varied table of contents. The complete novel in this number is by Franklyn W. Lee, and is called Mam'selle Pagalini. The illustrations are by E. L. Durand, and the story itself is fascinating, from the first line to the last. L. Clarkson has a Christmas story, Monsieur Vigot's Diamonds; Julian Chambers one called The Princess of Barren Island; Conyers O. Converse contributes a parlor comedy, Till Luther Proposes, in which is ignorance of it sweet and pathetic bit of music called A Heart's Song, with words by Albert Hardy, editor of Godey's Magazine, and music by Ch. Crozat Converse.

The January number of the Forum comes with fifteen timely discussions, among which are: "The Teaching of Recent Economic Experiences," by David A. Wells, wherein this distinguished economist writes not from a political but educational point of view. He sums up the stock of useful available knowledge in money and in the confusion of the world's activity by the recent panic and the present dullness. On this remarkable group of facts which he has collected with great industry, Mr. Wells builds an argument to show that our recent and present economic misfortunes are traceable solely to the popular ignorances of economic laws.

The January illustrated Kentuckian makes a fine beginning of the New Year. There is a page of Kentucky beauties from Ashland, Catlettsburg, Russellville; a Carrier's Address by the Editor; Beauty Talks, W. G. T. U. Politics; An Incident of the Late War by Garrett M. Davis; Marion Harland's Visit to Mt. Vernon; Sketches by Bishop Galt and Professor Louise Rollet; Gov. D. Breathitt, by an old Kentuckian; The Lexington Charity Record in Aunt Jane's Monthly Letter; Miss Hulbert's Serial, Estelle Kenyon; Ellis R. Parker's valuable recipes for the Cuisine; Poetry; Humor; Readable Paragraphs; Kensington Patterns, etc., etc.

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CURES NOW ARE BUT PILES
A SURE AND CERTAIN

BURNETT-PETREE.

Brilliant Nuptials of a Popular Young Couple.

THE SOCIAL EVENT OF THE WEEK.

Mr. Jno. P. Burnett and Miss Cora Petree were married at 6:30 o'clock last evening, at the Baptist church.

The wedding was one of unusual brilliancy and was witnessed by a gathering of friends only limited by the capacity of the house.

The bridal couple were preceded by two flower girls—Misses Richie Burnett and Lizzie Gaither—and seven couples of attendants, as follows:

Mr. C. K. Wyly and Miss Maggie Ingram, of Columbia, Tenn.

Mr Harry M. Bryan and Miss Belle Moore.

Mr. Alex S. Cox and Miss Lizzie Mercer.

Mr. Luther H. Petree and Miss Madge Fairleigh.

Mr. Frank Ball and Miss Mary Bell Mercer.

Mr. Jno. T. Edmonds and Miss Georgia Black.

Mr. Jno. B. Allensworth and Miss Mary Foland, of Owensboro.

Messrs. C. H. Tandy and Walker Wood were the ushers.

The ceremony was appropriately performed by Rev. C. H. Nash, in his usual impressive and graceful style.

The church had been handsomely decorated and beautified for the occasion.

After the wedding, the bridal party and a few special friends and relatives were entertained at a reception at Judge R. T. Petree's, the bride's father, on Campbell street. One of the features of the reception was an elegant wedding supper.

Mr. Burnett is one of the most prominent and highly esteemed young businessmen of the city. He is a member of the drug firm of Wyly & Burnett. His bride is the charming daughter of Judge R. T. Petree and is one of the most popular belles of Hopkinsville, pretty, intelligent and lovable. The young couple have the best wishes of a host of friends. They will reside with the groom's mother on South Main street.

HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENTS.

Miss Lizzie Anderson entertained eleven or twelve couples of young people Christmas night, at her home on Ninth street.

The Ninth Street Presbyterian church and the Universalist church each had a Christmas tree Monday night.

Miss Elizabeth Long's debut party Tuesday evening ushered in the week's pleasures. Among those present were Misses Mary and Nannie Barbour, Mary and Georgia Flack, Martha Buckner, Lucy Prince, Julia Venable, Elizabeth Wood, Lida Donaldson, Josie Schlamp, Marcey Carnie, Mattie Settle, Porter Lowry, Letitia Fairleigh, Gertrude Bramham, Emily Wheeler, Collins Carter, Annie Crabb, Jennie Winfree, Bella Moore, and Messrs Fletcher Camp Bell, John Bullard, Jack Moore, Harry McCarroll, John Edmunds, Walton Bryan, Will Hopper, Lewis Elgin, F. M. Bowne, Charles Graves, Thos. Fairleigh, Bob Buckner, Clifton Harrah, Hugh McKee, Jas. Wallace, Bailey Russell, Gordon Nelson, Alex. Crabb, Guy Starling, Henry Tandy, Thos. Underwood.

Miss Long, acquitted herself as hostess in a most charming manner. She is the eldest daughter of Mr. Geo. C. Long, and is one of Hopkinsville's prettiest and most accomplished and intelligent young ladies. Her guests were indebted to her for a most enjoyable evening. Refreshments were served about 12 o'clock.

A masquerade at Mr. Thos. W. Long's Wednesday evening was the most largely attended of any of the week's festivities. A large number of the young people were present and Mr. Long's elegant new house was filled to overflowing with the delighted feminine element. Mr. Long and his accomplished wife are most agreeable entertainers and they fairly excelled themselves upon this occasion. In the crowded space of a Christmas ed tion it is impossible to give a list of those present and the characters they represented. The music was rendered about midnight and delicious refreshments were served. The party dispersed at a late hour having enjoyed the occasion to the fullest extent.

Mrs. S. N. Vail gave a reception to the young people of the First Presbyterian church Tuesday night.

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The L. N. A. & C. Ry., Monon Route will sell tickets on Dec. 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th, 31st, and January 1st, at one and one-third of the first class limited fare to all local points including Chicago stations on the C. H. & D., Big 4, I. D. & W., L. E. & St. L., Vandalia, O. & M., and Wabash R. Rs. account of the holidays. Tickets good returning until January 2nd.

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The following from an exchange says: The musical comedy, "Oh! What a Night," with Charles A. Loder as the star, opened a week's engagement at the Halliday Street Theatre yesterday and was well received. The play is full of mirthful situations and is produced by excellent artists. Mr. Loder has acquired considerable reputation as a comedian and makes the most of his opportunities. The female characters are taken by Mrs. Charles A. Loder, Miss Gennell, a clever soubrette, Louise Rice, Hulda Halvars, Edith Mayo, Allie Marshall and Evelyne Tempia. Charles E. Ellsmith makes a very funny Irishman. Harry Hilton has a most pleasing tenor voice. Warren W. Ashley and Harry C. Shunk were at their best and are clever artists. They are especially attractive. There is plenty of fun in the piece and it will brought out.—*Baltimore American.* At Holland's Opera House this evening.

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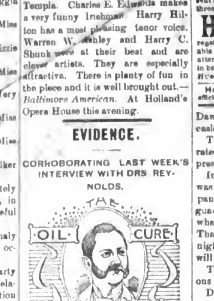

Special Dispatch to the Press From the Investigating Committee.

After ten weeks investigation from day to day, examining patients suffering from diseases for which the Oil cure was perfected, we take pleasure in recommending to the world by day and physicians the formula of the Oil Cure, discovered by Drs. Reynolds, We extend our thanks to the press throughout the state who have copied the results of our investigation. We recommend Drs Reynolds as physicians and scientists, skilled in the different departments of medicine and surgery, and as gentlemen.

(Signed) W. A. Anderson, M. D.
W. R. Robinson, M. D.
San Antonio, Texas.
J. W. Hanson, M. D.
Lake Avenue, Chicago
This 18th day of April, 1893.

To the Advocate:—I wish to tell through the columns of your paper, as it was there I first read of the discovery of Drs. Reynolds, I was a sufferer for twelve years with cancer of the face, and instead of it growing worse under my treatment, it grew worse until last June. White I was very feeble and the cancer was eating very fast, I was barely able to walk to the train, and my friends said family thought it was too late for anything to be done. I am well to-day and am stronger than I have been for years' I hope you will publish my letter for the sake of those who are afflicted. Respectfully,

Mrs. M. F. Conner,
Exter, Texas

I can testify that the above is true, being personally acquainted.

J. J. Bush, P. M.

A TESTIMONIAL FROM THE ORIGINAL COPY FILED WITH THE SUNDAY TIMES.

DeKalb, Tex., Dec 16, 1893

Dr. Reynolds, Nashville, Tenn.—It affords me pleasure to add my testimony to the merits of the Oil cure twelve years ago. I took a severe cold which left me with catarrh of the head, weak lungs and throat disease. I would take cold at every change of the weather, and at times would lose my voice, I was confined to bed and accordingly weak when I commenced the Oil Cure. I at once received relief and in ten weeks I was completely cured. You are at liberty to make what use you please of this unsolicited testimony. Any afflicted sufferer may be benefited by your treatment and your life spared to relieve suffering humanity, I am,

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MATRIMONIAL.

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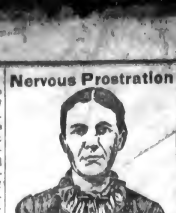
Miss Louise H. Davis has sued "Uncle Billy" Dimond, aged 70, for breach of promise of marriage at Henderson, Ky. The lady estimates the damages sustained by her at $5,000.

Senator Chas. J. Faulkner, of West Virginia, will be married Jan. 8 to Miss Virginia Whiting.

Kellen Hamby—Dr. W. A. Kelley, of Louisville, and Miss Nealy Hamby, of Hopkinsville, were married Wednesday evening, December 27, at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. H. A. Abney officiating. The happy couple left on the 6:30 train for Louisville, where they will make their future home.

Nervous Prostration



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Dr. Keller is a young physician of much promise and already enjoys a large practice in his chosen profession. He is located at No. 346, Nineteenth street, Louisville. His bride is the only daughter of Mr. W. I. Hamby, proprietor of the Hamby House at Dawson. She is a young lady possessed of much beauty and many accomplishments and is exceedingly popular in Hopkins county society. She was at one time a pupil of Bethel Female College, this city, and has many friends here who will join the Kentuckian in extending the usual congratulations.

Baggdale-Sickenberger.—Editor W. W. Barksdale, of the Clarksville *Tobacco Leaf Chronicle*, was married in Evansville last week to Miss Minnie Sickenberger, a handsome and lovable young lady.

Williamson-Wood.—Mr. J. T. Williamson, a son of Mr. W. T. Williamson, of this city, and Miss Nora Wood, daughter of Mr. O. O. Wood, of Cerulean Springs, were married at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday evening, Rev. Lathe, of this city, performing the ceremony.

The Louisville *Times* says Mr. and Mrs. Gus Myers, of that city, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter Birdie to Mr. Max H. Monyson of Hopkinsville, Ky. The wedding will take place at the Standard Club, Tuesday evening, January 16, at 8 o'clock. The bride's sister, Miss Rosalie Myers, will be the maid of honor, and the groom will be performed by Rabbi Moses, of the Temple Adas Israel.

Sanford-Knight.—Mr. Calby Sanford and Miss Cora Knight, both of Todd county, were married in Clarksville Tuesday.

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	20,000.00
Banking House, Furniture, and fixtures	1,927.26
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	173.50
Due from State banks and bankers	1,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	20,000.00
Checks and other cash items	1,000.00
Notes of other National Banks	2,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,000.00
Lawful Money reserved in bank, viz:	
Specie	1,000.00
Legal-tender notes	12,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent of circulation)	750.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent fund	100.00
Total	$150,000.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits	3,284.41
National bank notes outstanding	45,000.00
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,000.00
Dividends unpaid	1,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	49,715.59
Demand certificates of deposit	
Certified checks	
Cashier's checks outstanding	
Total	$150,000.00

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Mason Officers.

The annual election of officers for Hopkinsville Lodge No. 37, A. F. & A. M., was held at the Masonic Hall on Wednesday night, December 27th, with the following result:

John T. Hanbury, Master; Adolph Hillis, Senior Warden; William T. Tandy, Junior Warden; Joseph L. Landes, Treasurer; Charles H. Dietrich, Secretary; Walker H. Bowman, Senior Deacon; Burrill J. Mathews, Junior Deacon, Owen P. Lewis, Tyler; Nathan Zimmer and C. M. J. Gooch, Stewards.

LAFAYETTE

Princeton, Ky. Dec. 26.—I have just returned from Lafayette where I had a royal time for several days commingling with the people of my pastoral charge and also the general public. The people of Lafayette and vicinity know how to make ministers happy. The Baptist church there is prospering nicely. On Christmas evening it was the center of attraction because of the fact that a Christmas tree grossed in its altar beneath the burden of gifts suspended from its limbs; everybody was happy and especially the children.

Rev. A. C. Dorris, of that place, was on last Saturday unanimously recalled as bishop of Big Rock Baptist church, Stewart Co., Tenn. This is a large church and it has prospered well under the ministration of Bro Dorris as it learned. He is an able minister of the cross of Christ and Big Rock church did the proper thing in showing its appreciation of his work by recalling him to the pastorate. There is no doubt that he is eminently worthy of such tokens of appreciation and I am glad he has been the recipient of them.

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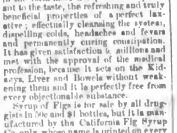

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